GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

A.P. Entertainment Tax, 1939 – Exemption of Telugu feature film "Jagadguru Sri Shiridi Saibaba" from the payment of Entertainment Tax – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (CT.IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1672

Dated.26.11.2009.

Read the following:-

- 1. Representation from Sri B.V.Reddy, Managing Partner for S.R.R. Creations, dt.03.11.2009.
- 2. Govt.Memo.No. 49133/CT.IV/2009-1 dt.10.11.2009
- 3. From the Commissioner I&PR Department, Lr.No.12933 /ETE/Films/2009, Dt.18.11.09

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ORDER:

In the representation 1st read above Sri B.V.Reddy, Managing Partner for S.R.R. Creations, has requested the Government for grant of exemption to the Telugu feature film "Jagadguru Sri Shiridi Saibaba" from the payment of Entertainment Tax.

- 2. In the Memo 2nd read above, the Commissioner, I & P.R has been requested to get the film screened before the committee constituted for the purpose and furnish the recommendations of the committee.
- 3. In the letter 3rd read above, the Commissioner of Information & Public Relation reported that the Committee have witnessed the film the members of the committee have opined that the film spreads message of peace, brotherhood, eradication of untouchability to people belonging to all Caste, Creed, Religion and also opined that the feature film "Jagadguru Sri Shiridi Saibaba" (Telugu) be recommended for grant of total exemption from payment of Entertainment Tax.
- 4. Government after careful consideration of the report of the Committee in exercise of powers conferred Section.8 of A.P.E.T. Act 1939 hereby exempt the Telugu feature film "Jagadguru Sri Shiridi Saibaba" from the payment of Entertainment Tax under the said Act subject to the following conditions
 - that the rates of admission shall not exceed 75% (Seventy five percent) of existing notified rates of admission of each class of the theatre in which the film is proposed to be screening in Andhra Pradesh.
 - that the period of exemption shall be limited to one year from the date of first release of the film on Andhra Pradesh and
 - that the film should not be screened along with any other feature films.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ASUTOSH MISRA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

Τo

The Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Hyderabad.

Copy to:-

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The Commissioner, Information & Public Relation Department.

The Managing Director, APSFTVTDC, FDC Complex, A.C Guards, Hyderabad.

The Home (Gen.A) Department.

The General Administration (V&E)Department.

The Accountant General, A.P.Hyderabad.

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//FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER